

FISCAL NOTE

HB 2955 - SB 3055

February 23, 2000

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires clear and convincing evidence that acts were intentional, fraudulent, malicious, or reckless in order to impose punitive damages in a civil action for abuse or neglect, sexual abuse or exploitation of an elderly or disabled person in a licensed health care facility or by a health care provider.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

MINIMAL

According to the Department of Human Services there would be no direct current impact on the adult protective services program.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James A. Davenport".

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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